





**WHY THE DUMA MAY DISSOLVE.****Petrograd Politics Explained by Slav Authorities.****Another Step in Building of a New Government.**  
**Council of Allies Sought to Clarify the Treaties.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
WASHINGTON, June 25.—The dissolution of the Duma and the Council of Empire, urged by the Pan-Russian conference of workmen and soldiers' councils, was explained by members of the Russian mission here today as merely another step in the building up of a new government in Russia. It does not indicate the slightest hostility, it was said, between the councils and the other parts of the government.

The Duma, it was explained, ceased to exist when, after its dissolution by the czar and its later extraordinary session, it elected out of itself the provisional government. To this government it entrusted complete legislative, executive and judicial powers and the birth of the Duma itself was dissolved. Since then it has met only once for a ceremonial session and had absolutely no part in the government.

Council of the Empire was even less representative than the Duma, it was stated, as it was composed of appointees of the czar selected from various classes, such as capital, education, agriculture and former ministers.

Special ambassador Bakunin of the mission will address the senate tomorrow with special reference to the foreign relations of the new provisional Russian government. It is understood to be the purpose of the new government to announce the principles of its policy under which the present war should be conducted without going into too great detail as to their specific application.

One of the main reasons why Russia has proposed a conference of the Allies is understood to be the uncertainty there as to just what treaties Russia is now bound by. The former czar is said to have signed many international agreements without consultation or subsequent reference to his ministers, and it is thought possible that some of the Allied nations may be holding Russia to engagements which the present Russian government has never seen.

The mission passed a quiet day in office work, dining this evening at the home of Richard Crane, now in charge of the Russian mission, and Charles R. Crane of Chicago, now in Russia with Ethel Crane.

**INDUSTRIAL NEEDS RUSSIAN PROBLEM.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
PETROGRAD, Saturday, June 24 (Delayed).—The provisional government today decided to solve by radical state socialist methods the crisis caused by complete lack of manufactured goods. It will issue a decree making M. Pleschinskoff, Minister of Food and Supplies, responsible for the supply of the population with all indispensable industrial products, especially textiles, shoes, soap and hardware.

A fund therefore will be placed at the Minister's disposal by the Senate. The Ministry will, where necessary, proceed to nationalize the industrial organizations created by the provisional government April 15 for distributing food will in the future also produce and distribute manufactured articles.

**ROOT PROMISES RUSSIA OUR AID.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
MOSCOW, June 24 (Delayed).—The headquarters of the War Industrial Committee was visited today by the American mission headed by Ethel Root. The mission was warmly welcomed, and it is thought that America was summing up 16,000,000 men to the colors in answer to freedom. His remarks were applauded.

Continuing, Mr. Root told his hearers that had the military Americans soon would be fighting. America's feet already was annihilating Germany submarines, describing America's adaptation to war. Mr. Root praised American workmen for voluntarily working the nation's industries longer hours than usual. They soon would be fulfilling Russia's order for cars and engines.

"Say what Russia wants," continued the speaker, "and we will come in aid. Our aim is in the war justify the heaviest sacrifices any anyone who cannot understand these aims must be unable to understand anything."

**GEORGIAN CONGRESS WANTS AUTONOMY.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
TIFLIS (Transcaucasia, Sunday), June 24.—At a congress of Georgian national Democrats a resolution has been adopted in favor of the autonomy of Georgia.

Georgia is a district of Transcaucasia Russia included in the government of Tiflis and Kutais. The Georgians, forming about half the population, and celebrated for athletic men and beautiful women, divided into various tribes.

**THIRTY MILLIONS PER DAY WAR COST TO ENGLAND.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
LONDON, June 25.—The total expenditure of the nine weeks from October 8 to December 9, last year, was a daily average of \$4,618,000, says a statement in detail prepared by the British War Office, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, for the House of Commons.

The five weeks from April 1 to May 6, 1917, the statement shows

**SLAVS MAKE PLEA FOR LOCOMOTIVES.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
WASHINGTON, June 25.—"Locomotives, locomotives, and still more locomotives" are the fundamental needs of Russia today, according to Prof. Lomonosoff, Russian minister, with the Russian mission. "Quite frankly, I can say to you, our American friends," he said, "give us locomotives and we shall give you military success."

Russia needs at once 1000 (ten-hundred) American locomotives to put her idle cars in operation; another thousand with an appropriate number of cars to free the congested freight terminals, and another 800 annually to meet the deficiency between Russian manufacture and her needs for renewal and new construction.

**SLAV DESERTERS RESIST CAPTURE.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
PETROGRAD, June 25.—During a roundup of deserters last night at Simferopol in the Crimea, shooting occurred, and men on both sides were wounded. There was a large number of arrests. Increasing numbers of deserters are returning daily to the colors.

**CZECH REGIMENTS DESERT TO RUSSIA.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
AMSTERDAM, June 25.—Three Czech regiments have deserted to the Russians, according to a statement on Saturday to a committee of Deputies from Southern Austria by P. von Georgi, Minister of Defense in the retiring Austrian Cabinet, as published in the Lokal Anzeiger and Tagblatt of Berlin.

**GERMANY CLOSING WARSAW COLLEGES.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
BERLIN, June 24 (via London). June 25.—The Vossische Zeitung learns that Gen. Hans von Beseler, governor-general of German-occupied territory in Russia, has closed the Warsaw colleges. The Polish technical institute because of a student strike dating to last May. As the result of a street row several students were arrested for disturbing the peace, but subsequently released. The entire student body then proclaimed sympathy with the Polish cause on the ground that their dignity and national honor had been offended.

**TRY TO IMPROVE RUSSIAN AVIATION.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
PETROGRAD, June 24 (via London).—The executive council of the Workmen's and Soldiers' Deputies has decided to convene an all-Russian assembly of aviators and manufacturers of aircraft, with the object of improving the fighting capacity of Russian aviators and the reconstruction of the whole aviation service.

**SLAV GOVERNMENT STUDIES TAX BILLS.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
PETROGRAD, June 25.—Bills have been submitted to the Russian provisional government by the Ministry of Finance dealing with an increase of as much as 30 per cent in the progressive tax on incomes exceeding 400,000 rubles, and a tax on profits of industries supplying war material of 7 to 30 per cent.

The government has instructed the Ministry of Supplies to proceed with the organization and distribution among the population of food, clothing, petroleum, soap and other necessities, at prices which must cover the cost of manufacture, transportation and distribution.

**ORGANIZE WOMEN'S HOSPITAL UNIT.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
NEW YORK, June 25.—What is announced as the first women's medical base hospital unit for service in France now is organized, according to a statement received tonight by women connected with the American Institute of Homeopathy. Dr. Florence N. Ward, a surgeon of San Francisco, is chairman of the organization. The unit includes medical women from all parts of the country.

**FRENCH OFFICERS PRAISE STATION.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
GREAT LAKES NAVAL TRAINING STATION (Ill.) June 25.—High praise for the United States naval training station at Great Lakes came today from French army officers. Lieut.-Col. J. B. Pomey and Lieut. J. Bouthillon, who are touring the United States, expressed wonder that so large and important a training station could be so successfully operated so far from salt water.

**RUSSIA'S LIBERTY LOAN.**

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)  
PETROGRAD, June 25.—Subscriptions to the two-billion ruble Russian Liberty Loan have approached the 1,500,000,000-ruble mark.

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The new cabinet, according to Chinese advice, is to be a coalition body, representing both the Constitutionalists and the Militarists. Li Ching Shih, whom President Li had appointed premier, had solved their differences and took the oath of office. Gen. Wang Sheng Chang, former Chief of the War after having been named for a similar position in the secessionist government, Admiral Sir Sah Chen Ping is Minister of the Navy. The American note to China, which called itself to compose their differences, about which so much misunderstanding existed, was reported to the department having created a very favorable impression in China. Great Britain, Japan and the United States, it was said, had urged the course of action on the ground that any suggestions from the outside would be apt to have a bad effect.

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**SELLS HIS LIFE FOR A COFFIN.**

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ST. LOUIS, June 25.—Frank Buchner, salesman of the Mound City Coffin Company, killed himself today in a washroom at the company's plant by shooting himself in the head. The reason assigned for his act was that he feared that he could not sell as many coffins as he had contracted to dispose of.

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"Our primary duty in the matter of foodstuffs and like necessities is to see to it that the people associated with us in the war get as generous a proportion as possible of their supplies but it will also be our wish and purpose to supply the neutral nations whose peoples demand upon us for such supplies, as nearly in proportion to their needs as the amount to be divided permits."

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"The cases of wheat and corn will serve as an illustration of all the rest of supplies of all kinds. Our trade can be successfully and profitably conducted now, the war pushed forward, without any check upon the supply of wheat and corn to the people of our own people and of the other peoples with whom we are still free to trade efficiently met only by systematic restriction of exports, and that is what will be attempted."

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It was the appointment of the new board which precipitated the conflict between the Mayor and the lawmaking body of the city. Political maneuvering around the Council centered around the reading of the minutes of the last session, which the Mayor declared adjourned, and which was reconvened by the members for the purpose of reconsidering the confirmation of the school board members.

Friends of the Mayor charged that the minutes had been falsified to show the record was approved by a viva voce vote.

When the question of the record was approved, Mayor Thompson read a communication explaining his action in adjourning the session.

Alderman Wallace had thrown a book at him, and that the Council acted hysterically and riotously, and that the Mayor's resignation was justified in adjourning the meeting. An opinion was attached, written by the corporation counsel, which holds that the Council had no power to reconsider its vote on the school board appointment.

The Council, meeting to consider resolutions of impeachment and demanding the Mayor's resignation, decided to take no action until Mr. Thompson had been heard. After extending him an invitation to appear before the committee, adjournment was taken.

**OVERLAND TRAIN DELAYED.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
STOCKTON, June 25.—Western Pacific overland, due from San Francisco at noon, was delayed by the engine, tender and baggage car off the track in the Altamont Hills today. The train now is seven hours late.

**CANADA'S FOOD CO-OPERATION.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
OTTAWA (Ont.) June 25.—Word was received today from W. J. Hanna, Canada's food controller, that he was returning here to organize the Dominion policy in cooperation with Herbert C. Hoover. Mr. Hanna reported his conferences in Washington had been successful.

**TO INCREASE WOOL SUPPLY.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)  
CHICAGO, June 25.—Representatives of the National Sheep and Wool Bureau, gathering here tonight from all parts of the United States, announced that virtually all of the big packers of the country have approved plans, sanctioned by the government, to protect from slaughter ewes and ewe lambs for the purpose of increasing supply of wool. A conference on the subject will be held tomorrow.

Movement of the new crop of sheep from the ranges to the markets will begin within ten days, was said. Agreement by all packing interests to be sought at the conference will mean that ewes and ewe lambs for breeding purposes will be diverted from the slaughter to farms and grazing lands, of which a large number would be provided through eastern railroads which traverse suitable territory. It will make up in part for loss of sheep sustained during the last year through storm and drought.



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**ARIZONA MIDDIES**  
**WIN HIGH HONORS.**  
ANNAPOLIS (Md.) June 25.—  
With the completion of academic  
work at the Naval Academy, an  
announcement was made of the lead-  
ers of the class which will be grad-  
uated and enter at once into active  
service after Thursday of this week.  
First honors were taken by Joseph  
W. Paige of West Newton,  
Mass., William R. Nicholas, Yuma,  
Ariz., and Ernest B. Colton, Dou-  
glas, Ariz., finished third and fourth,  
respectively.

**OFFICERS' CAMPS**  
**NEED ARTILLERY.**  
WASHINGTON, June 25.—Govern-  
ors of various States were notified by  
the War Department today that the  
service of batteries of field arti-  
llery from the National Guard  
would be required at the officers' train-  
ing camps in connection with the  
training of the field artillery com-  
panies that have now been  
formed among the prospective officers.

**SECRETARY HOUSTON**  
**TAKES ASSISTANT.**  
WASHINGTON, June 25.—Clarence  
O. Houston, director of the agricul-  
ture extension work at Texas  
Agricultural College, was today ap-  
pointed as an assistant to Secretary  
Houston for the extension of his  
work in the agricultural field.

**BALKAN MINISTER**  
**CONTINUES TRIP.**  
WASHINGTON, June 25.—Charles  
J. Vopicka, American Minister to  
Serbia, Bulgaria and Rumania, to-  
day is preparing to leave here in  
continuation of his globe-circling  
trip. He is expected to arrive in  
Bucharest tomorrow. The minister  
is in Rumania when the German  
army took the city and was not al-  
lowed to pass the lines to his sta-  
tion in Bucharest. In order to resume  
his duties in Rumania he found it  
necessary to go to the United States  
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Wedding all but a very few who were in the secret. Mrs. Thomas, who has been for years the hostess at Hotel... and Wilbert Pratt Her... at the home of Mr. and... W. A. Clark, Jr., on West... at Coronado, and the re... started, but was not found... the marriage license was...

### Daughter's Engagement.

D. A. Goodwin of No. 425... boulevard announces the... of her daughter Gladys... Oliver N. Morris, of the... Reserve Corps, stationed at... Harrison, Indiana. The... will take place at the... of August, in Cleveland in... where Miss Goodwin and... Morris were confirmed to... several years ago, and the... will be performed by Rev... Atwater, the minister who... On their return they... their home in Pasadena.

### Entertains at Home.

Miss Frances Willis received on Friday afternoon members of the Morning Club and others in honor of the newly-elected president, Mrs. A. S. Lohmeyer. Miss Willis was assisted in receiving by Miss Wright of Riverside and Miss Dorothea Spinnay of London, who has been her house guest. A large number of the members of the club responded and thronged the beautiful grounds, spacious rooms and porches of the house.

### Entertains the Moders.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Modra, Mr. Frank Nelson Rust entertained a party given at the home of her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Henderson of No. 1225 West Forty-first street. The rooms were decorated with white Shasta daisies and ferns. About twenty couples enjoyed the evening.

### At St. Paul.

One of interesting news comes from St. Paul, Minn., to the effect that J. F. Friesen, a physician of this city, became a benefactor of the city of St. Paul, Minn., when he married Florence Huntington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Huntington of St. Paul. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, with the rooms and in pink and white, and after the wedding, the bride and groom will come to Los Angeles to make their home here at West Vernon avenue.

### At Riverside.

Wedding which will be of interest to Los Angeles, Glendale and Pasadena, will take place in the latter city, when Mrs. W. E. Leonard of Riverside becomes the bride of Paul... attorney of this city. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's father, and will be made their home in... After the marriage the bride will leave for the East, where she will remain several months, and then return to make their home in... Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Stanford, and that college that they met... a member of the Alpha... society, and Mr. Stewart...

## DRAMA.

### Well Played.

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### By Henry Christen Warnack.

"Very Good Eddie" opened at the Mason last night on a comfortably filled house, which seemed to enjoy the performance. The man at the door said, "Good, bad and indifferent, but entertaining," and that is a comprehensive and just criticism. The show is spotty, but has its high lights. Its music has a faint, yet pleasant theme and while the lines fail to sparkle, they are not without drollery. They have amusement without luster. There are no conspicuously good voices and no brilliant song hits, yet the work contains two or three melodies of fragile sweetness. One in particular, called "Baby in the Woods," is as light as a feather in the wind. There is a wild-flower fragrance to it.

### Los Angeles had the substance of "Very Good Eddie" some years before they had it in New York.

Mr. Morosco gave the piece its original production in play form at the Burbank Theater four years ago under the name of "Overnight Success." It was then very much stronger and brighter than it is now. It is the sort of play that is better suited to musical comedy than anything else, but its salience has been missed in the present adaptation. Two features that made the comedy of the play have been omitted in the musical offering. One was that the timid little bride was mistaken by the passengers on the boat for a militant suffragette leader and was forced to make a speech for the cause. The other was a quick professor whose business was hypnosis. The former was used to make the timid husband brave and the latter to make the doubting husband believe. The story suffers for these eliminations.

### For comedy, the performance depends very much upon Denman Maley who takes the part of the clerk at a mountain inn. It is low comedy, but has fiber and finish, and contains many good points.

Edna Baudette, Thedora Warfield, Bessie Mulligan and Harry Myers have pleasant voices and carry most of the solos and duets. George Mack is a vest-pocket edition of a comedian, who registers mirth every minute he is on the stage, and he is there most of the time. Florence Earle is a lady built along Charlotte Greenwood lines. Her husband, Denman Maley, has a exceedingly good pantomime, which gets the biggest hand of the evening. The chorus is better than average as to looks and voice.

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### We have got to win this war at any cost," said Mr. Chaplin.

It is astonishing that so few seem to realize that we are plunged into the most terrible conflict in the history of the world. Every one of us must roll up his sleeves and stand ready, free of us have awakened to the realization of the blackness of the future. The opportunity is now at hand for every one of us to help. It does not make any difference whether you have given before. This is another day and a day when the entire population of the United States is working as one to raise a fund which will benefit us all directly or indirectly. So do your best. It took Charlie just twenty minutes to raise over \$500 besides his own contribution.

### Orpheum.

You may check your thinking apparatus along with your car, on entering the Orpheum this week, and yet not miss that's what's new. But pooh! Who cares about uplifting the drama or anything else except a long cool drink this sort of weather? Ray Cox remains the brightest little glimmer of the bunch, taking cues from the horse for her clever patter in "Her First Lesson in Horseback Riding." Naturally everybody at the tea riots will be discussing what Evelyn Nesbit looks like this season, and yet she is doing me up in the first word. Miss Nesbit looks much prettier than last year, since better, and is in every way better than last year. This isn't saying too much. The young woman has much to lead of stage craft, but as she is an ambitious per-



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### BY EMILY SQUIER.

Gov. Stephens talked plainly and directly at the City Club yesterday about preparedness. "The war won't be over in a short time," he said. "Not this week, or next, not next month, not even next year; the best authorities agree that the war will continue at least three years more, and it's going to be a hard pull. No one wanted to go to war, but now that it's here, we must stand by the man who is my President, your President, our President. We've heard about preparedness for armament, for some time; the big thing now is preparedness for food. Conserve food, not shirtwaists; the men at the front can't eat hats or shirtwaists, and if you stint yourselves needlessly on those things, you're doing more of an injury than you are being a help to the country. But conserve food. Don't waste a single bit. Do you know that if every family in the United States would save one piece of bread a day, in a year it would amount to enough to save three acres of wheat? Do you bit that way, if in no other."

### He closed his remarks by referring to the splendid work done by the women of California in every way, and especially those on the State Council of Defense.

Mrs. Van Graham added a little proud postscript to the Governor's remarks, to tell him that the three women on the State Council of Defense are members of the City Club. At the Elbell Club yesterday afternoon two one-act plays were capably presented, but they were less enjoyable, the afternoon would have been well spent. For Mrs. Ashley, president of the club, reminded the members that yesterday was the last day of the Red Cross campaign for funds, and as they went into the room the ladies placed their contributions in a box. When the money was counted at 6 o'clock, the box held \$152.75. There were two checks for \$100 each and several women gave \$25, \$10 and \$5.

### The two little plays, put on under the direction of the drama department, were Lady Gregory's "Spreading the News," a laughable comedy, and "Drama," with a clever futuristic setting and a poetical theme. Incidental music was furnished by Helen Tapp's orchestra. Both plays were well received. Mrs. Alfred Whitney Allen, curator of the drama department, and Mrs. James H. Stearns, assistant curator, directed the actors.

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## OPEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

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Admiral Cary Grayson on the "Aye, aye, sir." "The fleet proceed to sea."

the resignation of ex-King Constantine has been approved by the unanimous vote of the world.

had hoped that the war would be out of the sport shirts, but it is not to be. That would have been.

might help things if there were no forbidding slacks to wear. Slacks should not be allowed to register.

some talk of putting Charlie in between the trenches and the Germans laughing at the idea.

then the Germans have nothing on their hands they fire a thousand shells into a flat and measure.

are really ought to be able to law to compel attendance at religious events to take the place of volunteer system.

it is not necessary to be a "foot-thirty-six" in order to be to the latest call of President for 750,000 troops.

the demand for eggs is so high there is little difference between those bought for frying and for an omelette, in price.

the proposal of the government to allow all annual income over \$1,000 to be assessed for the Los Angeles reporters.

the French are in doubt as to whether to pronounce Pershing. If they will later on pronounce him "splendid." How would they do?

the railroad companies are trying to employ women older than thirty. Here is an opportunity for those who oil their husbands to get a job.

the draft of Major William Thompson, Mayor of Chicago, the "ring front." Such a need for German should be where he could do the most and take his chances.

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## SITABLE.

## FINE SITE FOR TRAINING CAMP

Centenario-Dominguez Ranches Please Gen. Liggett.

Breeze is a Big Point in Favor of Tract.

More to be Seen Before Decision is Made.

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## EARL ROGERS BETTER.

Attorney Passes Dangerous Stage in His Illness and Recovery Now Will be Rapid—Plans for His Removal East are in Abeyance.

Attorney Earl Rogers, who has been seriously ill at his home, No. 1230 Berkshire place, South Pasadena, suffering from a severe attack of uric acid poisoning, was reported much improved last night. According to Mrs. Rogers, his physician, Dr. Bowen, expressed the view that the dangerous stage of the disease has passed and that recovery will be rapid.

The present illness may temporarily interfere with Mr. Rogers' plans, recently announced, for going to New York State to engage in the practice of criminal law.

Plans for Service for CHAPLAIN NAVE.

STRUCK BY A STREET CAR, HE DIES SHORTLY AFTER.

Was Veteran of Civil War and of Frontier and Philippine Campaigns—Retired from Army with Rank of Major, He Devoted Remaining Years to Uplift Work.

Funeral services for Orville J. Nave will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the residence, Dr. Charles Edward Locke and Rev. A. W. Lamport will officiate. Burial will be in Forest Lawn cemetery, eight uniformed members of Roosevelt Camp, N.A.W.V. will act as pallbearers. The Odd Fellows will conduct the service at the home and the G.A.R. will sound taps at the grave.

The honorary pallbearers will be former Mayor George Alexander, Maj. A. F. Judson, C. P. Mulford, Frank Ballinger, Rev. S. T. West, Charles H. Haskins, Capt. Walker and Rev. J. P. Lawyer.

Chaplain Nave, who despite his seventy-six years, was full of the enthusiasm and zeal of youth, was hurrying to a meeting of Roosevelt Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, Saturday night.

He was thrown fifteen or twenty feet and when lifted by kind hands it was found that he had sustained severe wounds to the head and limbs and had suffered three fractured ribs. He died Sunday.

Chaplain Nave was born at Galien, O., April 20, 1841. He enlisted as a private in Co. A, One Hundred and Eleventh Illinois Infantry, in 1862. He was sent to Cairo, Ill., and served under Sherman in the Army of the West and took part in the capture of Vicksburg. He began with the battle of Atlanta and ended with the march to the sea. He was discharged in 1865.

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Classes, Through with Grades, Entertain Today.

Commencement Exercises to be Held Tonight.

Lincoln, Jefferson, Franklin, Van Nuys Included.

Classes that have completed the eighth grade work in the city schools and thus are prepared for high school, will hold combined exercises this morning at 10 o'clock in the auditorium at Manual Arts.

Dr. Albert Shells will give an address, music will be furnished by the combined seventh and eighth grades orchestra, Louise Cutler will speak on "Woman's Work Today," Mrs. W. J. Looftbourrow on "Our Flag," Ruby Sweet on "Do Your Bit," and George Drasher on "The Man of the Hour."

The Lincoln High School will hold its commencement exercises tonight at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. Dr. Shields will speak and C. H. McCormick of the Board of Education will award the diplomas to the first graduation class of eighty-nine students.

Jefferson High School also holds its exercises this evening. There are eight graduates from this new school. "Woman's Work in the War" will be the subject of an address by Florence Rowell, and "Madame Breckinridge," a subject relating to the revolution in Russia, will be presented by Evelyn Kuder. A member of the Board of Education will present the diplomas.

Commencement exercises for Franklin High School are to be held this evening at the Highland Park Presbyterian Church. Each member of the class will make a personal response when receiving his or her diploma.

Fourteen members of the Van Nuys High School will be graduated tonight. Dean Burt of Occidental College will speak.

The Polytechnic graduating class will present its class programme this evening and tomorrow morning at the school auditorium. The exercises will include an address by Robert E. Bice, president; class poem by Valdemar Bray, the author; interpretive group dances with Carolina Herman, Marie Eastman and Naomi Black, and stunts by the boys' gym club. Music is to be furnished by the orchestra, senior boys' class and senior girls' club.

Tonight's show is especially for friends and relatives, while tomorrow morning's will be for students. Class expenses will be paid from the proceeds.

Commencement will be held next Thursday evening with 150 graduates, of whom 101 are girls.

## A CALL FOR MR. SOLOMON!

Monrovia Wants to Know Who's Responsible for Cow That Won't Stay Put.

Mayor Rose gave George Monroe, clerk in Superior Judge Myers' court, an Alameda dog. Mr. Monroe traded the



Business Page: Money, Stocks and Bonds—Grain—Mines—Financial Market Abroad

HIGH MONEY RATES STILL RULE ON STOCK EXCHANGE

At Their Best, Equipments are Higher by Two to Four Points, and Steel Group Advances Slightly—Rails Give the List a Solid Foundation Otherwise Lacking—British Gold Movement Augmented—Bonds Irregular.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Trading was of such a mixed and professional character during most of today's session as to defy analysis. Money rates continued to rule as a potent factor, last week's bank statement offering little encouragement of any immediate relaxation. Call loans held at 8 per cent, and time money was nominal in the sense that offerings were again very much restricted. At their best, equipments were higher by 2 to 4 points and the steel group advanced 1 to 2 points. Shipbuilding, the motors, sugars, Industrial Alcohol, Malt and Distillers' Securities reacted 1 to 2 points and petroleum was depressed on the weakness of Sinclair Oil, which fell 6 points on semi-official reports of an approaching new stock issue. Hedges gave the list a solid foundation which was otherwise lacking. Petroleum, coal and sugar and minor shares were steady. The steel group advanced 1 to 2 points on the broadest movement of many days. Final prices, residuals mainly from short covering, served to effect a material readjustment of values. Total sales, \$25,000,000 shares. The movement of British gold to this market was augmented by an additional consignment of \$10,000,000, making a total of \$27,500,000 in little more than a week. France and lire were more steady but rubles weakened. Reports from the Middle West showed large gains in traffic but a moderate halt in business pending settlement of food prices. Bonds were irregular but the Liberty issue was more active than at any time since the date of trading, regular lots selling at par and a few odd lots reaching a premium. Par value, \$2,875,000. United States and

FINANCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER  
Los Angeles, June 25, 1917.  
Bank clearing yesterday, \$4,000,000.00.  
Increase of \$1,000,000.00 over the corresponding day of last year.  
Money \$4,000,000.00. 100,000,000.00.

PRICES SAG ON LOCAL EXCHANGE.  
MARKET LEADERS SUFFER A REVERSE.

Union Oil and Home Telephone Preferred Bring Lower Values. Tom Reed Ruled Believed to be Ended—Arizona Ray Active.

LOS ANGELES

Reserve.  
BANK SITUATION IS FAVORABLE.  
DEPOSITS LESS, BUT THERE'S GOOD REASON THEREFOR.

Nearly Ninety-four Millions the Total—Liberty Bonds, Heavy Payments by Business Firms and Shipments North Affected Aggregate of Available Cash.

CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Includes various commodities like wheat, corn, and oil.

NEW YORK STOCK

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FOOD CONTROL BILL SENDS PRICES DOWN.

PROSPECT OF PASSAGE PUTS BULLS AT DISADVANTAGE.  
Declines in Corn No Surprise in View of Outlook for Prohibition for Use in Manufacture of Alcoholic Beverages—"Dry" Prospect Also Affects Oats.

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# FOR A CHECK ON SLACKERS.

City Posts Names of All Who Have Registered Here.

Expect Citizens to Help in Unmasking Shirkers.

Timey Man Learns He is Older than He Thought.

Lists of the young men who recently registered for the selective draft have been completed by City Clerk White and been posted in each of the twenty-one districts into which the city has been officially divided.

These lists are to assist the public in ferreting out the slackers, it being the duty of every citizen to help the police department in this work.

LOOK 'EM OVER.

Following are the districts and the official headquarters of each: District No. 1—San Fernando Valley, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 2—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 3—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 4—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 5—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 6—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 7—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 8—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 9—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 10—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 11—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 12—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 13—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 14—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 15—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 16—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 17—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 18—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 19—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys. District No. 20—Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, headquarters at 1000 N. Hollywood, Van Nuys.

# Here to Enlist Men for English Army.



Invite you to show your patriotism.

Maj. C. B. Manchester of Canadian expeditionary force (left), and Capt. P. F. Scharschmidt of the imperial engineering force, who began a drive for recruits in Los Angeles yesterday.

# You Need Army.

(Continued from First Page.)

which will be difficult for other recruiting officers to overcome. "The whole story in a few words," said Maj. Manchester, "is that we are here getting all the recruits possible for the British and Canadian forces. I am recruiting British subjects for the Canadian expeditionary force, while Capt. Scharschmidt is appealing to all the British in Southern California to respond to the call of the 'Union Jack' and enlist."

"Britishers in this country haven't had a chance to enlist in home forces before this time, except at their own expense," continued Maj. Manchester. "However, we have made all arrangements with government officials in this country, and new red-blooded Britishers may walk into the recruiting office for the United States Army, say they are British subjects and want to enlist—and they'll be enlisted. All their expenses will be paid, and if they are unfit for service physically they will be returned to their work with a certificate to that effect."

"Now is the time for British and Canadian subjects to enlist," said Capt. Scharschmidt. "Their country needs them and the United States needs them. Officials of the United States Army are in this country to enlist in the British or Canadian armies. And that's what we're here to do."

AID DEPENDENTS. Men between the ages of 18 and 45 years are wanted, according to the officers. Men as old as 50 years will be recruited if they are able to pass the physical examinations and if they are professional men in demand in the service. When taken into account have no fear of dependents not being taken care of, according to Maj. Manchester, as there are soldiers' funds and government funds which take care of them. They get enough money to live on, and then some. Additional funds are allowed for each dependent child.

Capt. Scharschmidt is recruiting for the inland water transport section of the Royal Engineers. Both officers will remain in Los Angeles for some days.

"We expect to recruit more than 1000 British subjects in Los Angeles and district within a short time," said Maj. Manchester.

ANOTHER BATTERY. Los Angeles is to have another National Guard battery of artillery within the near future, if the plans are carried out.

Attaches of the office of the United States District Attorney are wondering why the balance of the 102 warrants sworn out last week against street drivers have not been served by the city police. Only about half of the accused have been brought before the United States Commissioner, and nothing has been heard of the additional complaints for several days.

At a Cemetery.

# INJURED BY A BLAST.

Contractor Possibly Fatally Hurt when Pick Struck Dynamite that Failed to Explode on Time—Body is Shot with Stones.

A charge of dynamite which failed to explode until too late probably cost the eyesight and perhaps the life of J. C. Armstrong, a dynamiting contractor, yesterday.

Armstrong, formerly of Arizona, was blasting cement foundations at Rosedale Cemetery. He had placed three charges in a foundation and only two of them exploded. When he attempted to work out the unexploded charge, his pick is supposed to have struck the detonator, and caused the blast.

Hundreds of tiny pieces of stone were blown into his body.

SUIT POSTPONED.

Attempt to See Public Service Books is Delayed.

By stipulation of the attorneys, the suit of W. G. Muehst against the Department of Public Service and others, for an order of the court to examine the books and accounts of the department, was continued by Judge Jackson until July 8. The suit is brought by Mr. Muehst as taxpayer. He asserts he is entitled to ascertain from the books how certain moneys were expended and that he cannot get at the records except through proceedings in court.

# Terminal Plan TO BE SHAPED.

City Attorney to Meet with Railroad Commission.

And Discuss Union Depot and Grade Crossings.

How City will Get Necessary Money is a Problem.

City Attorney Stephens left last night for San Francisco, where he will confer with the State Railroad Commission on important questions in connection with the proposed change of grade crossings and the building of a union terminal for the transcontinental railroads. The City Attorney was advised to make the trip by the Public Utilities Committee of the Council.

According to a decision rendered recently by the Supreme Court, the city and the Railroad Commission must co-operate in the direction of the proposed improvements and Mr. Stephens said yesterday he wants to go into the matter without a full understanding of our responsibilities. There must be no conflict between the city and the commission and it is imperative that the city know just what the commission expects to do.

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# WILSON Starving, OLYMPIA AGROUND.

Naval Ship

## Flagship of Dewey Goes on Rocks.

amous Old Warship Meets with Accident in a Fog Off Block Island.

Number of Crew Killed as Struck by Falling Hatch; Others Taken Off.

(BY A. P. MIGHTY WRITER.)

LOCK ISLAND (N. I.) June 26.—The United States cruiser Olympia, Admiral Dewey's flagship at the Battle of Manila Bay, was aground in the fog off Block Island early today. The cruiser was reported in a bad position, with considerable water in her hold.

Chief Machinist's Mate William Kelly lost his life when he was struck on the head by a falling hatch. No other fatalities were reported.

Wrecking vessels were standing by the ship tonight. The sea remained calm, but it was reported that as a precautionary measure a part of the crew had been taken off.

The Olympia put out yesterday for target practice, and it is supposed she struck during the thick German

## THE WORLD'S NEWS

Covering the Globe

The Foremost Events of Yesterday (1) Prohibition at the Olympic Games. (2) Prohibition at the Olympic Games. (3) Prohibition at the Olympic Games. (4) The Grounding of the Olympia. (5) The Shriner's Convention.

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### SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at N.W., southeasterly; velocity, 10. Thermometer, highest, 78. Lowest, 60 deg. Forecast: Fair. Complete weather report see last page of Part I.

CITY. Tabulations based on city directory that will appear Monday show the city's population at almost at the 600,000 mark.

Federal officials announced a number of well-known young society men arrested as draft dodgers; seven others were indicted.

A board was named to nominate men for enlistment in the United States Army, in an endeavor to show the city's quota.

George Drake Ruddy died of a long illness.

Proceedings were started in San Diego against Dr. Sarah J. Ripston, the 70-year-old woman charged with having forged a will.

San Diego announced a syndicate in the purchase of White's land with a purpose of building a pleasure resort.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. The Superior Court ordered Long Beach officials to sign the bonds for the improvement.

San Diego and Hermosa beaches and the State to compel Los Angeles to abate the Hyperion nuisance.

Another petition for an annexation of San Diego was presented to the Santa Ana Commissioners.

PACIFIC SLOPE. A spy caught in the act of printing the United States flag in California has been smuggled from San Jose and San Francisco.

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